2000 Current Fiscal Year Report: Hanford Thyroid Morbidity Study Advisory Committee

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1. Department or Agency 2. Fiscal Year

Department of Health and Human Services 2000

3. Committee or Subcommittee No.

Hanford Thyroid Morbidity Study Advisory Committee 885

4. Is this New During Fiscal 5. Current 6. Expected Renewal 7. Expected Term

Year? Charter Date Date

No 06/12/1998

8a. Was Terminated During 8b. Specific Termination 8c. Actual Term

FiscalYear? Authority Date

Yes 42 U.S.C. 241 note 06/13/2000

9. Agency Recommendation for Next10a. Legislation Req to 10b. Legislation

FiscalYear Terminate? Pending?

Terminate

11. Establishment Authority Statutory (Congress Created)

12. Specific Establishment 13. Effective 14. Committee 14c.

Authority Date Type Presidential?

42 U.S.C. 241 note 11/05/1988 Continuing No

15. Description of Committee Scientific Technical Program Advisory Board

16a. Total Number of No Reports for this

Reports FiscalYear

17a. Open 0 17b. Closed 0 17c. Partially Closed 0 Other Activities 0 17d. Total 0 Meetings and Dates

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No Meetings

	Current FY	Next FY
18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00
18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)	\$0.00	\$0.00
18d. Total	\$0.00	\$0.00

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

The Hanford Thyroid Morbidity Study Advisory Committee was established to provide advice and guidance to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) regarding the scientific merit and direction of the Hanford Thyroid Morbidity Study. The Committee monitored compliance with the study protocol, recommended changes of scientific merit to CDC, and advised on the feasibility of conducting a full epidemiologic study among Indian tribes and the reporting of final study results.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

The Committee had an authorized membership of seven public members who were highly knowledgeable in the fields of radiation dose reconstruction, thyroid disease, epidemiology, Indian affairs, environmental issues, and a community representative. The Committee also included a nonvoting liaison representative from the Hanford Downwinders Coalition, an organization that played an important role in interacting and coordinating citizen activities relating to Hanford operations.

20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?

The Committee was terminated in FY 2000 and did not meet.

20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?

This committee did not meet in FY 2000; a request to terminate this committee was approved by the Director, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention on July 10, 2000.

20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings? N/A

21. Remarks

The Hanford Thyroid Morbidity Study Advisory Committee did not meet in FY 2000.

Designated Federal Officer

Mike Donnelly Deputy Chief, Radiation Studies Branch, EHHE, NCEH, CDC

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Hatch, Maureen	10/01/1999	09/30/2000	Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York, NY	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Jecha, Larry	10/01/1999	09/30/2000	Benton/Franklin Health District, Richland, WA	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
McKetty, Marlene	10/01/1999	09/30/2000	Howard University Hospital, Washington, DC	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Schneider, Arthur	10/01/1999	09/30/2000	University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago,	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Stone, Lou	10/01/1999(09/30/2000	Indian Affairs Representative, Kettle Falls, WA	
Ward, Margaret	10/01/1999	09/30/2000	Health Information Institute, Inc., Belleview, WA	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Number of C	ommittee	Memb	ers Listed: 6	
Narrative De	scription			
What are the	e most sig	nifican	t program outcomes associ	ated with this committee?
				Checked if Applies
Improvement	s to health	or safe	ty	
Trust in gove	rnment			
Major policy of	changes			
Advance in so	cientific re	search		
Effective gran	nt making			
Improved ser	vice delive	ery		
Increased cus	stomer sat	isfaction	า	
Implementation	on of laws	or regu	latory requirements	
Other				
Outcome Co	mments			
What are the	cost sav	ings as	sociated with this committe	e?
				Checked if Applies
None				✓
Unable to De	termine			
Under \$100,0	000			
\$100,000 - \$5	500,000			
\$500,001 - \$1	1,000,000			
\$1,000,001 -	\$5,000,00	0		
\$5,000,001 -	\$10,000,0	00		
Over \$10,000	0,000			
Cost Savings	Other			

Cost Savings Comments

What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?	
Number of Recommendations Comments	
What is the approximate $\underline{\text{Percentage}}$ of these recommendations that have been or will be $\underline{\text{Fully}}$ implemented by the agency? 0%	
% of Recommendations <u>Fully</u> Implemented Comments	
What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency? 0%	
% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments	
Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered? Yes No Not Applicable	
Agency Feedback Comments	
What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?	
Checked if Applies	3
Reorganized Priorities	
Reallocated resources	
Issued new regulation	
Proposed legislation Approved grants or other payments	
Approved grants or other payments Other	
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Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants? No Grant Review Comments How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation? Checked if Applies Contact DFO Online Agency Web Site Online Committee Web Site Online GSA FACA Web Site

Access Comments

Other

Action Comments